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**MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE**  
**ON**  
**TAX POLICY**

Wednesday, October 21, 201                      10:30 a.m.                      Room 521, House Office Building

The House Committee on Tax Policy was called to order by the Chairman, Representative Jeff Farrington.

Members present: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

Members absent/excused: None.

Representative Maturen moved to adopt the minutes from the Wednesday, October 14, meeting.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid before the committee SB 349:

SB 349            (Stamas)            Property tax; delinquent taxes; notice provisions; revise.

Howard Ryan, representing the Michigan Department of Treasury, submitted a testimony card in support of SB 349, but did not wish to speak.

Representative Maturen moved to report SB 349, with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

YEAS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: None.

PASS: None.

The Chair laid before the committee SB 369:

SB 369            (Schmidt)            Use tax; exemptions; tangible personal property eligible for an industrial processing exemption; expand.

Howard Ryan, representing the Michigan Department of Treasury, submitted a testimony card in support of SB 369 and SB 370, but did not wish to speak.

Representative Webber moved to report SB 369, with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

YEAS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: None.

PASS: None.

The Chair laid before the committee SB 370:

SB 370 (Brandenburg) Sales tax; exemptions; tangible personal property eligible for an industrial processing exemption; expand.

Representative Iden moved to report SB 370, with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

YEAS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: None.

PASS: None.

The Chair laid before the committee :

HB 4871 (Howrylak) Individual income tax; property tax credit; adjusting the caps on taxable value, salary, and amount of the credit for inflation; provide for.

Ken Osborne, representing the Michigan Department of Treasury, submitted a testimony card with no position on HB 4871, and did not wish to speak.

Tom Hickson, representing the Michigan Catholic Conference, submitted a testimony card in support of HB 4871 (H-2), but did not wish to speak.

Representative Townsend moved to adopt the substitute (H-3) to HB 4871.

The motion failed by a vote of 4-9-0.

UNFAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

YEAS: Representatives Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, and Webber.

PASS: None.

Representative Howrylak moved to adopt the substitute (H-2) to HB 4871.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

YEAS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: None.

PASS: None.

Representative Howrylak moved to report HB 4871 as substitute (H-2), with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

YEAS: Representatives Farrington, Maturen, Somerville, Yonker, Howrylak, Chatfield, Glenn, Iden, Webber, Townsend, Clemente, LaVoy, and Byrd.

NAYS: None.

PASS: None.

There being no further business before the committee and seeing no objection, the Chair adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:42 a.m.

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Representative Jeff Farrington, Chair

Kevin Gawronski  
Committee Clerk  
October 21, 2015  
12 minutes

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Date Approved and Signed